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**Title of Application:**

**DIGITAL SIGNATURE SYSTEM AND METHOD BASED ON HARD LATTICE PROBLEM**

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**This application is a:** Continuation-in-Part of prior application Serial No. 09/065,938, filed April 24, 1998.

**Fee Calculation**

	Claims Filed		Extra	Rate	Fees
Basic Fee					\$690.00
Total Claims	35	-20 -	15	× \$18.00	270.00
Independent Claims	4	-3 -	1	× \$78.00	78.00
Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$260.00	-0-
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